

heritage area consistent with continued local and State economic activity; and

(8) has a conceptual boundary map that is supported by the public.

#### SEC. 3. STUDY AREA.

##### (a) IN GENERAL.—

(1) SOUTH CAROLINA.—The study area shall include the following counties in South Carolina: Pickens, Greenville County, Spartanburg, Cherokee County, Greenwood, Laurens, Union, York, Chester, Darlington, Florence, Chesterfield, Marlboro, Fairfield, Richland, Lancaster, Kershaw, Sumter, Orangeburg, Georgetown, Dorchester, Colleton, Charleston, Beaufort, and Williamsburg.

(2) NORTH CAROLINA.—The study area may include sites and locations in North Carolina as appropriate.

(b) SPECIFIC SITES.—The heritage area may include the following sites of interest:

(1) NATIONAL PARK SERVICE SITE.—Kings Mountain National Military Park, Cowpens National Battlefield, Fort Moultrie National Monument, Charles Pickney National Historic Site, and Ninety Six National Historic Site as well as the National Park Affiliate of Historic Camden Revolutionary War Site.

(2) STATE-MAINTAINED SITES.—Colonial Dorchester State Historic Site, Eutaw Springs Battle Site, Hampton Plantation State Historic Site, Fort Watson, Landsford Canal State Historic Site, Andrew Jackson State Park, and Musgrove Mill State Park.

(3) COMMUNITIES.—Charleston, Beaufort, Georgetown, Kingstree, Cheraw, Camden, Winnsboro, Orangeburg, and Cayce.

(4) OTHER KEY SITES OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.—Middleton Place, Goose Creek Church, Hopsewee Plantation, Walnut Grove Plantation, and Historic Brattonsville.

#### SEC. 4. REPORT.

Not later than 3 fiscal years after the date on which funds are first made available for this Act, the Secretary of the Interior shall submit to the Committee on Resources of the House of Representatives and the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources of the Senate a report on the findings, conclusions, and recommendations of the study.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to the rule, the gentleman from Utah (Mr. HANSEN) and the gentlewoman from the Virgin Islands (Mrs. CHRISTENSEN) each will control 20 minutes.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Utah (Mr. HANSEN).

Mr. HANSEN. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself such time as I may consume.

Mr. Speaker, H.R. 4830, introduced by the gentleman from South Carolina (Mr. SPRATT), would authorize the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study of the suitability and feasibility of establishing the Southern Campaign of the Revolution Heritage Area.

Mr. Speaker, I reserve the balance of my time.

Mrs. CHRISTENSEN. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself such time as I may consume.

(Mrs. CHRISTENSEN asked and was given permission to revise and extend her remarks.)

Mrs. CHRISTENSEN. Mr. Speaker, we fully support H.R. 4830.

Mr. Speaker, I yield 30 seconds to the gentleman from South Carolina (Mr. SPRATT), the sponsor of this bill.

(Mr. SPRATT asked and was given permission to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. SPRATT. Mr. Speaker, I thank the gentlewoman for yielding time to me.

Mr. Speaker, this is about the most important part of the campaign for the revolution, the revolution in the South, where the revolution was largely won after the fall of Charleston in the back country.

The whole matter has been popularized by Mel Gibson and others in a movie called *The Patriot*. The story now needs to be told right. There are over 200 battles and skirmishes, military incidents. We need this national corridor to tell it right.

We had 1 million visitors to 8 different battlefields in South Carolina in the year 2000, and even more now. This is a perfectly fit bill for those circumstances. The story needs to be told right and well.

I would like to commend the chairman and the ranking member for allowing this bill to come to the floor. I urge everyone to vote for it.

Mrs. CHRISTENSEN. Mr. Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time.

Mr. HANSEN. Mr. Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Utah (Mr. HANSEN) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 4830.

The question was taken; and (two-thirds having voted in favor thereof) the rules were suspended and the bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

#### ANDERSONVILLE NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE BOUNDARY ADJUSTMENT ACT

Mr. HANSEN. Mr. Speaker, I move to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 4692) to amend the Act entitled "An Act to authorize the Establishment of the Andersonville National Historic Site in the State of Georgia, and for other purposes", to provide for the addition of certain donated lands to the Andersonville National Historic Site.

The Clerk read as follows:

H.R. 4692

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

#### SECTION 1. ADDITIONAL LANDS AUTHORIZED TO BE ADDED TO HISTORIC SITE.

The first section of the Act entitled "An Act to authorize the establishment of the Andersonville National Historic Site in the State of Georgia, and for other purposes", approved October 16, 1970, is amended by striking "five hundred acres" and inserting "520 acres".

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to the rule, the gentleman from Utah (Mr. HANSEN) and the gentlewoman from the Virgin Islands (Mrs. CHRISTENSEN) each will control 20 minutes.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Utah (Mr. HANSEN).

Mr. HANSEN. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself such time as I may consume.

Mr. Speaker, H.R. 4692, introduced by the gentleman from Georgia (Mr. BISHOP), would amend the enabling legislation of the Andersonville National Historic Site to authorize the addition of 20 acres.

Mrs. CHRISTENSEN. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself such time as I may consume.

(Mrs. CHRISTENSEN asked and was given permission to revise and extend her remarks.)

Mrs. CHRISTENSEN. Mr. Speaker, I commend the gentleman from Georgia (Mr. BISHOP) for his work on this bill. We are in support of its passage.

Mr. Speaker, I yield 30 seconds to the gentleman from Georgia (Mr. BISHOP), the sponsor of the bill.

(Mr. BISHOP asked and was given permission to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. BISHOP. Mr. Speaker, I thank the gentlewoman for yielding time to me. I thank the committee for their strong support of this legislation.

Mr. Speaker, this bill is designed to increase the size of the Andersonville National Historic Site in Andersonville, Georgia, which is the site of America's only official National Prisoner of War Museum, exhibit, and the Andersonville National POW Cemetery.

It is necessary to expand the size because it is statutorily limited. In order to make the road safer and provide for better security, the Friends of Andersonville, a 501(c)(3) corporation, purchased the land and wishes to donate it. With this legislation, it can receive the land. The land can be made safer, and the Prisoners of War and America's people can properly recognize and commend the work of our POWs.

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Mrs. CHRISTENSEN. Mr. Speaker, I have no further requests for time, and I yield back the balance of my time.

Mr. HANSEN. Mr. Speaker, I have no further requests for time, and I yield back the balance of my time.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. GOODLATTE). The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Utah (Mr. HANSEN) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 4692.

The question was taken; and (two-thirds having voted in favor thereof) the rules were suspended and the bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

#### CHEROKEE, CHOCTAW, AND CHICKASAW NATIONS CLAIMS SETTLEMENT ACT

Mr. HANSEN. Mr. Speaker, I move to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 3534) to provide for the settlement of certain land claims of Cherokee, Choctaw, and Chickasaw Nations to the Arkansas Riverbed in Oklahoma, as amended.